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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the following paragraphs as indicated:

[0032] Personal Video Recorders ("PVRs") have developed as an improvement to the conventional Video Cassette Recorder ("VCR"). Current television broadcasting systems can provide subscribers with dozens or hundreds of channels of television programming. With so much programming available, it may be difficult for a viewer to be available to watch all the programming he or she wishes to see at the times those programs are broadcast.

Consequently, recording devices have been developed to record broadcast television signals. In this way, the viewer can "time-shift" a program by recording the program when it is broadcast, and then replaying it for viewing at a time convenient to the viewer. These recording devices may be generally categorized as Video Cassette Recorders (VCRs) and Personal Video (or Versatile) Recorders ("PVRs").

[0038] Fig. 1 illustrates a first embodiment of the present invention including a system of distributing electronic publications using a television broadcasting system and a personal video recorder. As shown in Fig. 1, a personal video recorder (PVR) (101) is connected to a television set or video monitor (102). The PVR (101) is connected to a television signal source (103). This television signal source may be a cable or satellite television system, an antenna for terrestrial television broadcasts or any other television signal source.